

**THE blue PLANET**

View of the Grand Canyon, showing the Colorado River (dark wider sections of the river at center and top left are the water surface of Lake Powell; dark area at top right is the wooded country of Black Mesa), March 1994

29 June 1999

CALIFORNIA GOLD RUSH 1849



Dear Governor Davis,  
Several years ago I  
read Cadillac Desert by  
Marc Reisner. Ever since,  
I have been vehemently  
against subsidizing agriculture  
by building more dams.

Please consider the health  
of the environment prior to  
making any decisions through  
the CALFED Bay/Delta program.

Sincerely,

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